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MEMORANDUM FOR:  Office of Training

SUBJECT: Draft Announcement of CIA-State Personnel Field Exchange Program

1. I have reviewed your draft announcement in collaboration with O/IC and have noted on the draft certain omissions (in brackets) and additions which might improve the announcement. Generally, the changes are designed to take care of the following comments:

(a) It is not believed that application of the program to the DD/A Area was considered by either the DD/A or the DD/I during its development. A memorandum of 7 October from the Director of Training to the DD/I mentions that "the DD/I area offices will be given the first choice". It is felt that any implied "second choice" refers to non-Agent type personnel in the DD/P area, but in fact it is doubtful that DD/P has any essential interest in this program. In any event, it would seem wise to initiate the program, using exclusively DD/I personnel, so that the program may be started promptly and experience developed prior to any expansion beyond the DD/I area.

(b) In the light of subparagraph (a) of the DCI's letter of 10 October, it is desirable to emphasize that the Agency's needs will be considered.

(c) As I understand from you that for sensitive reasons it is not possible to include in this announcement any more detailed information concerning the other program mentioned, it is believed preferable that it be omitted entirely from this announcement and reserved for appropriate separate handling.

2. It seems entirely appropriate to address this announcement to the DD/I, for purposes both of control and of security. I would suggest that seven copies be furnished, as the DD/I will expect nominees to come from four offices (O/CI, O/RR, O/NE, O/SI) and will want O/IC to be informed.

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